

Closing Notice

we will close at 4 p. m.

Saturday, Dec. 15, for the

HUMBLE - HONDO

Football Game

In Luling

Kollman Bros.

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Merchant Increase Stocks

Local stores are carrying the largest assortment of Christmas stock in history, Sam Lanham, manager Retail Merchants Ass'n. said a survey showed today.

He said local merchants had invested many hundreds of thousands of dollars more than they ordinarily spend in order that Christmas shoppers will be able to obtain the latest types of presents that have been developed during the past year.

"The days are past when anyone must say, 'I don't know what to get her (or him) for Christmas,' because all a person must do is visit a local store and see the large and varied selection of merchandise that makes pleasing gifts," Lanham said.

He said there were many advantages to Christmas shopping at local stores. "First, the buyer can see what he is getting and can rest assured of the quality of the merchandise guaranteed by the reputation of the merchant. Most stores have buy-now-and-pay-later plans that can be arranged in only a few minutes time." Between now and Christmas many stores will be advertising in the local newspaper their Christmas specials and Lanham urged the people to watch Christmas ads for gift suggestions.

Teen Club Names Tilley As President

Saturday night, Dec. 8, the Hondo Teen Club held a dance in the high school cafeteria. More than 50 members were present.

Blue and white crepe paper carried out the football theme of the dance. Soda water and cookies were served. Ruthie Crow, Rita Ulbrich, Anna Taylor, Rita Hoffman and Kathy Bendele were on the refreshment and decorations committee. Mrs. W. J. Hoffman and Mrs. Jack Ulbrich were chaperones for the dance.

A business meeting, conducted by Bobby Taylor, was held at the dance. Of primary importance was the election of new officers. They are president, Joylene Tilley; vice-president, George Gaston; secretary, Sara Moore; treasurer, Rita Hoffman; reporter, Roxene Schweers; and sergeant-at-arms, Richard Corder.

**DON'T NEED IT?
SELL IT THRU THE
WANT ADS**

LACOSTE NEWS

The LaCoste High School band will appear in a Christmas Concert on Dec. 19, at 8 p. m. at the school auditorium. Band director, Bill Jotik, extends a hearty welcome to parents and friends to attend and see the progress the band has made since the first recital Feb. 20.

The concert will be Christmas music and other selections. There will be no charge. The concert will be followed by a business meeting of the Band Boosters Club.

M&M R. D. Bippert and son Roger Dale, visited in Seguin Tuesday evening with M&M Clinton Bippert and daughter, Mrs. Bippert remained there for a longer visit.

Mrs. Alvina Salzmans spent Sunday afternoon with M&M Milton Salzmans and children and M&M Ray Williams.

M&M R. D. Bippert, of LaCoste, had a very exciting moment last Thursday evening. After they were hunting at their ranch at Mico, they started walking towards their car. They walked up on a 7 ft. rattlesnake which made their hunt a very exciting one for a while. Mrs. Bippert, reported the huge snake had 14 rattlers and a bunch broken off. One fang had been broken off and was very large in diameter.

M&M Clinton Bippert of Seguin, are the proud parents of a 7 lb. 9 oz. baby girl, born Wednesday, Dec. 5. Grandparents are M&M John Freisenhahn of Macdonia and M&M Rudolph D. Bippert of LaCoste.

Louis Lessing Jr. of Macdonia, was a visitor in town Thursday. M&M Willie Wetta, Mrs. Irene Ridgeway and children, Ned and Patsy, and Robert Wetta of San Antonio, visited in the Wilfred Ahr home last Sunday.

M&M Verner Bippert and daughter of Brenham, visited M&M R. D. Bippert and son over the weekend.

Mrs. J. B. Pate of Lytle, visited in the Robert Grossenbacher home Monday.

M&M Ed Bearekmane and Mrs. Bill Wilkins and daughter of San Antonio, visited in the Alvin Ladleder home Friday.

M&M Paul Koenig, spent Saturday evening with M&M George Kunze.

Mrs. Milton Salzmans returned to her home Sunday afternoon after being a patient at the Medina hospital in Hondo for a week.

M&M M. F. Musick and son Billy, visited relatives in San Antonio over the weekend.

Mrs. Charles Bauerlein and Mrs. Ned Morey visited Mrs. Milton Salzmans and children and Mrs. Ray Williams Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Reba Keller and sons Leroy and Emmett, visited at Rio Medina Friday evening with M&M Geleann Keller and sons. Milton Salzmans was a business visitor in San Antonio Monday.

By Mrs. R. R. Koch

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Several ladies were present at a party at the home of Mrs. Robert Grossenbacher Thursday afternoon. They included Mrs. J. B. Pate and Mrs. George Kunze, Mrs. Wilfred Ahr, Mrs. Oscar Hutzler, Mrs. R. A. Biediger, Mrs. Randolph Koch and Miss Lena Geiger from here, and Mrs. Jo Huff of San Antonio.

M&M George Zuercher and son Allen, spent the weekend at Hondo with M&M A. J. Graff and son Ralph.

Mrs. John Hiesser, Mrs. Joe Kauffman and granddaughter, Janice Forth, Miss Florentina Bohl, Mrs. Oscar Hutzler and Mrs. Walter Etter were among those who attended the HD Christmas party at the Parish Hall at Natalia Monday.

M&M George Zinsmeyer were San Antonio business visitors Monday.

Miss Esther Hitzfelder of Natalia, spent several days this week with her grandparents, M&M R. A. Biediger, Carroll and Dorothy.

Wayne Ahr of San Antonio, visited his parents, M&M A. W. Ahr, over the weekend.

Mrs. John Allen Griffin and

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Criminal Docket

Alex G. Moncada, DWI, fined \$100 plus three days in jail.

Jimmie Lee Allen, aggravated assault with a motor vehicle, fined \$25.

Harmon Adams Jr., DWI and aggravated assault with a motor vehicle, fined \$100 plus three days in jail on DWI charge and \$500 plus 30 days on the aggravated assault with motor vehicle charge.

Julian Gonzales, DWI, fined \$100 plus three days in jail.

Felix Cavillo Jr., unlawfully carrying a pistol, fined \$100.

Jesus Leal Pacheco, unlawfully carrying a pistol, fined \$100.

Domingo Gonzales, unlawfully carrying a pistol, fined \$100.

Carley B. Barker, DWI, fined \$100 plus three days in jail.

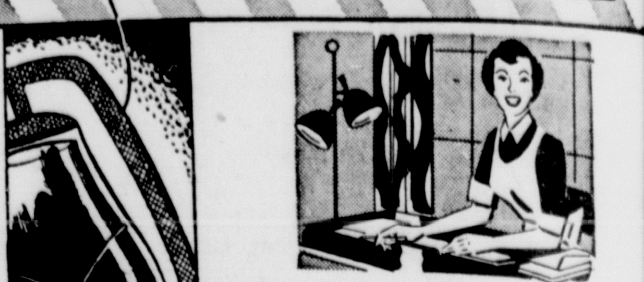
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children at Atascosa, were visitors in town Wednesday.

Mrs. George Kunze, Mrs. El-drich Kunze and son, Mrs. Wilfred Ahr and Miss Lena Geiger were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. L. M. Pittman and daughter, Joyette Faye of Dunlay, to help celebrate Joyette Faye's birthday.

INADEQUATE WIRING

DANGER SIGNS



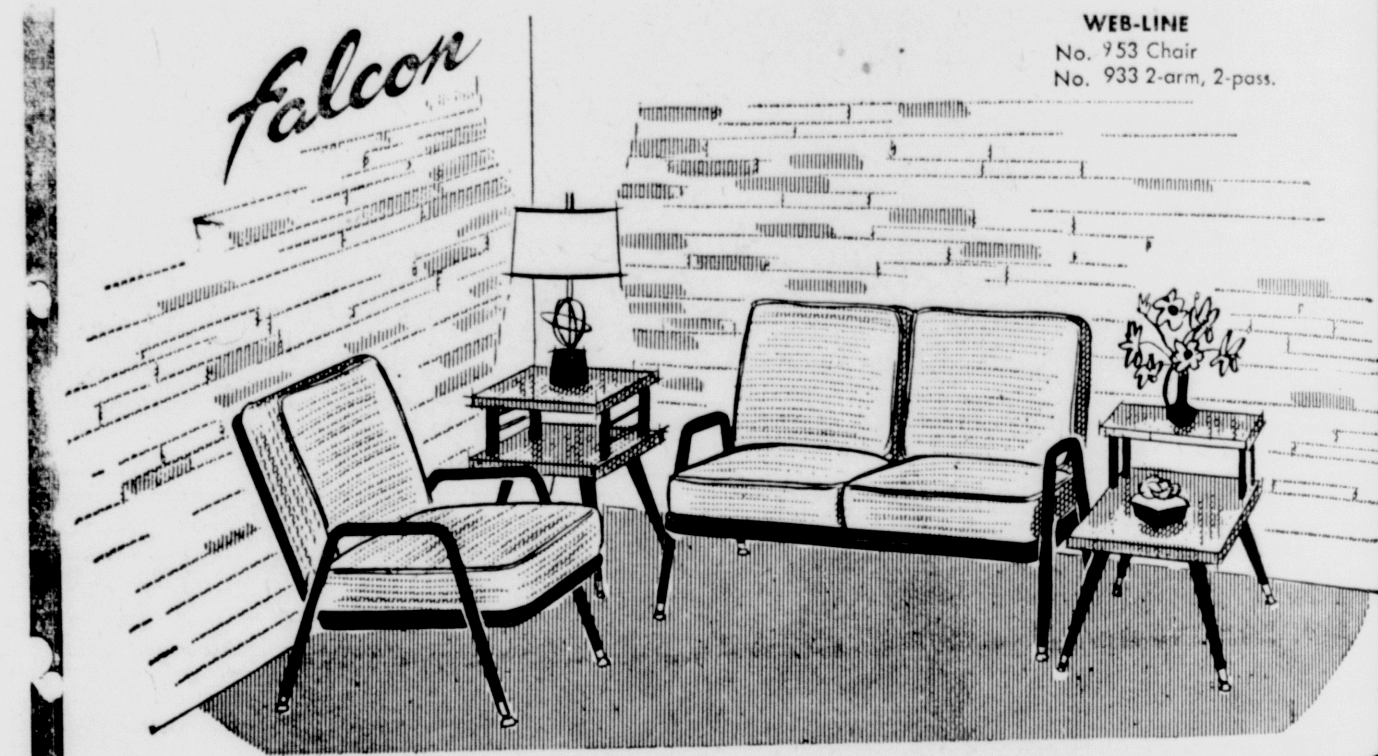
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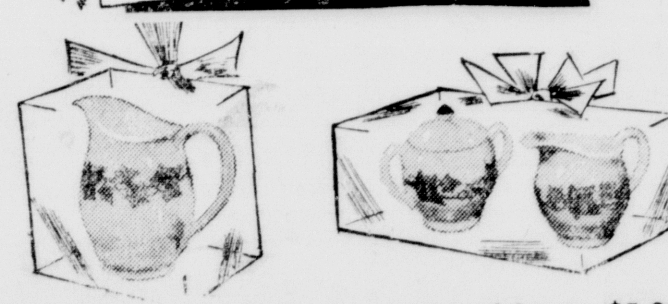
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BORROWS FROM AN EXCHANGE

THE FOLLOWING QUOTES:

With the thought that the thoughts quoted below may be provocative of more thoughts on the part of those who read them, your columnist submits the following quotes from that outspoken exchange, the Summitt (Miss.)

Washington, Nov. 6 — The Agriculture Department is now all set, it said today, with a virtually permanent cure for the old problems of surplus butter. . . give away as fast as it comes in."

North American Newspaper Alliance story.

Reader's comment: "Isn't this the most stupid thing you ever saw?" Revolving! And they call it "CURE!"

Alan Emory, who wrote the story, states that one third of all butter bought by Uncle Sam from December 1952 through December 1956 went to domestic

lunch, institution and welfare departments. Forty percent of a total of 1,026,000,000 pounds of butter, at least 76 1/2 percent, he says, went to American overseas welfare and school channels free, and most of the last two years.

Questions are being asked, Mr. Emory: 1. Why wasn't the butter put into effect instead of whacking dairy supports down 15 percent to 30 to 75 percent of parity, once? 2. Why, if the government is technically short on butter, does it have to keep

price supports down to 75 percent of parity as a legal minimum?

But no reporter asks the question that the real American wants asked: WHY PRICE SUPPORTS AT ALL? FOR ANYTHING?

—FD—

Fred Spangler of San Antonio, national director of the Constitution Party of the U. S. A., writes: "The Grin" and his backers will undoubtedly interpret the election returns as a mandate to continue their butchery of our Constitution and undoubtedly our stupid citizenry will continue to applaud as each timber falls. And so it seems to me that as the next few months arrive and depart, we shall be fighting less an ideological battle than an out and out fight for our lives.

"As I write this, human beings are being crowded into cattle cars in Hungary (the male survivors, that is) for shipment into Siberia, while the women are being surveyed and catalogued for worse. Where was the CIA (Central Intelligence Agency) while this tragedy developed? Why did we not rush small arms, grenades, land-mines, food and medical supplies to the Austrian border while it was still open? And how depraved can our leadership become, and how bloody can their hands become before the American people cry out against it?"

"As in the past, the words are on the wall, but the people do not care to see plainly written before them, 'Mene, Tekel, Upharsin'. History is, after all, just prologue."

—FD—

To which it is sufficient merely to admonish: — "Think on these things!"

Here In Hondo

M&M Charlie Ward of Yorktown, visited with Mrs. Amanda Ward and Mrs. Katie Muenkink Sunday.

M&M Adolph Hutzler and family and M&M Otto Mann Jr. and children, visited in the Lawrence Tschirhart home Friday. M&M Sam Tschirhart of Dunlap, visited with them Thursday.

M&M Charlie Brieden and son visited his parents, M&M Gus Brieden, over the weekend. Charlie is being transferred to Houston in the near future.

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BIRY NEWS

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M&M Paul Bendele visited with relatives at Hondo Sunday.

M&M Amos Hitzfelder and daughter visited in the Ed Bader home Saturday.

Mrs. John Neuman, Mrs. Alfred Neuman, Mrs. Adolph Hutzler, Mrs. Jimmy Rihn, Mrs. George Schmidt and Mrs. Paul Bendele, Biry HD Club women, mas Dinner and Program at Natalia Monday.

M&M George Schmidt Sr. visited with M&M George Schmidt Jr. and children at Hondo Sunday.

Mrs. Burr Leaman and Mrs. Elmer Schneider and children visited in the Jimmy Rihn home Thursday afternoon.

Lois Ann Rihn, daughter of M&M Jimmy Rihn, was crowned FFA Sweetheart at a banquet in Devine Monday night.

Mrs. Randolph Haass and Randy and Mrs. Marvin Haass were San Antonio business visitors and shoppers Tuesday.

Misses Irene Hutzler, Judy Rihn, Mildred Iltis and some friends from San Antonio, visited Sunday afternoon in the Jimmy Rihn home.

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A. H. Ahrs Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Day

On their 50th Wedding Anniversary Nov. 29, M&M A. H. Ahrs, had their children, M&M E. A. Ahns, of Flatonia, and M&M A. W. Ahrs of here, visit them. Also calling during the afternoon were M&M Frank Meyer, of Atascosa, and M&M R. J. Mangold, of here.

M&M A. E. Jungman Sr. returned this week from a trip to Corpus Christi, Kingsville, and over into Old Mexico.

M&M Edward Mechler of Castrovillo, visited in the A. H. Ahrs home recently.

Mrs. Nellie Engelbrecht of Carthage Mo., arrived in San Antonio Friday to spend the winter with her son, William J. and Mrs. Engelbrecht and sons.

M&M A. E. Westmeyer from San Antonio, visited with M&M M. C. Parish near LaCoste Sunday.

William J. Engelbrecht of San Antonio, came in Saturday evening with a seven point buck.

M&M Louis Salzman received word that their son and wife, M&M Winifred Salzman have a

new baby girl, born Dec. 9 in Southgate, Calif.

M&M Edgon Hoeke, of South San Antonio, visited with M&M Charles R. Bauerlien near LaCoste last weekend.

M&M James Onion and children of San Antonio, visited Saturday in the R. J. Mangold home.

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By Mrs. Ida Jungman

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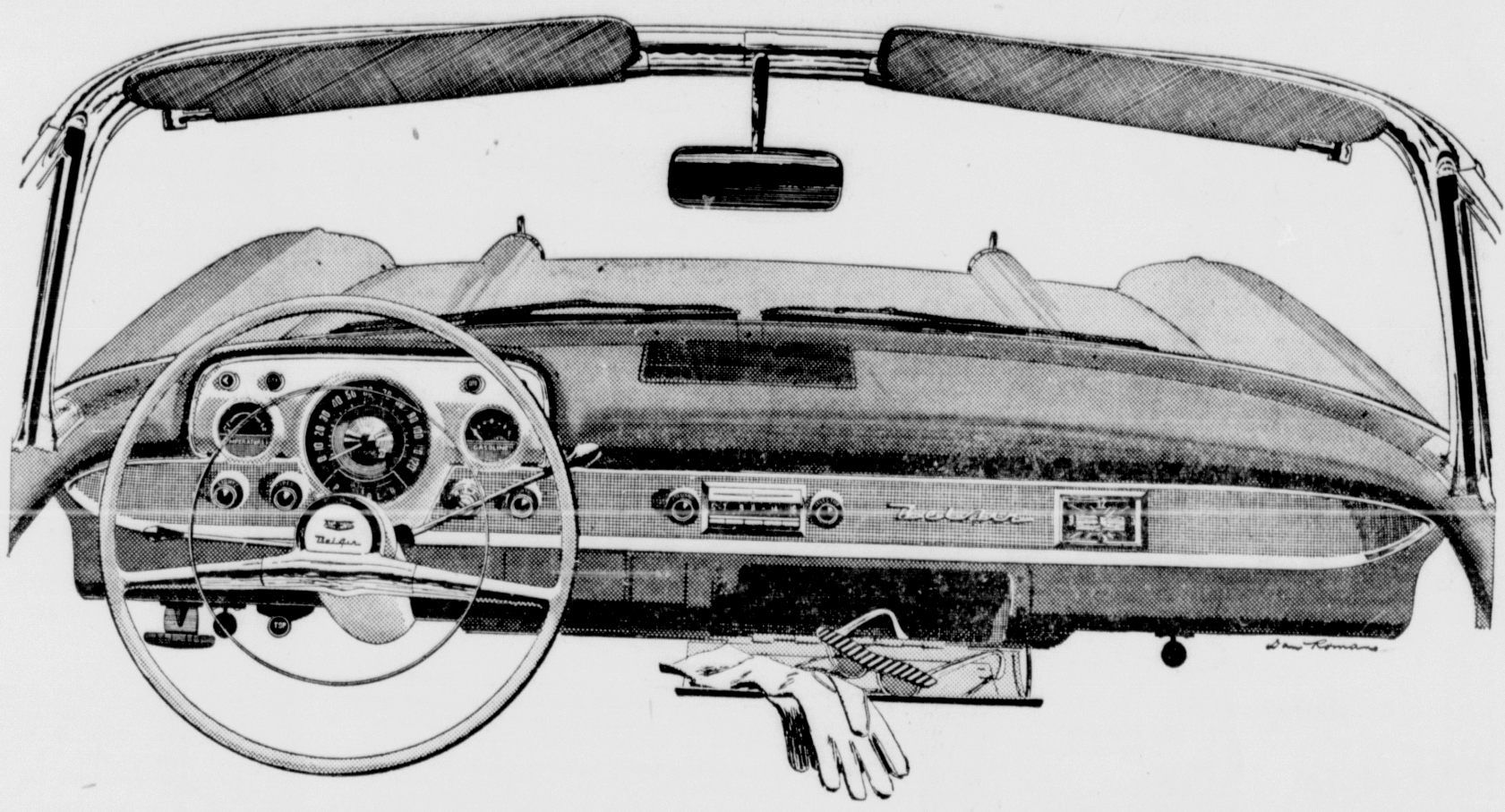
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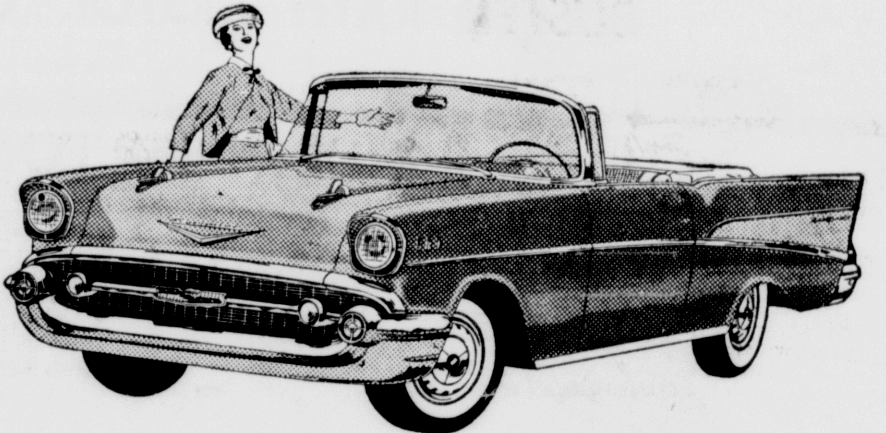


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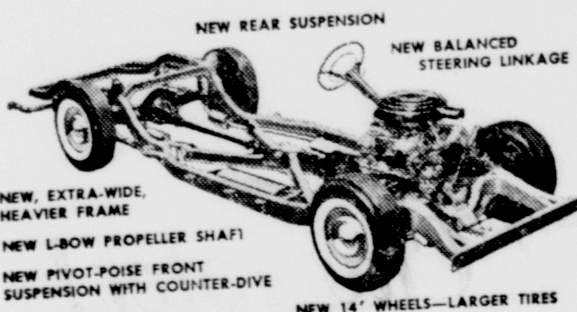
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D'Hanis News

Guests of M&M C. M. Gober Sunday were M&M J. T. Wood of Campwood.

M&M F. L. Anderson spent the weekend with M&M Aug. Saathoff and M&M Henry Nehr and Darlene.

M&M Leo Koch and daughter, Jan, of San Antonio, visited with his parents, M&M M. M. Koch, and family last week.

M&M Olen Haby and children of Rio Medina, spent Thanksgiving Day with M&M Oscar Nester and daughters.

M&M Melvin Finger and family arrived Saturday from Abeline and are visiting with M&M Herman Fohn and M&M Howard Rothe and families until Wednesday.

Mrs. Ursie Turner, Mrs. Millie Grimsinger, Mrs. E. L. Brod and Mrs. Louis Carle spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Schuehle at Hondo.

M&M Ed Crisp of San Antonio, were dinner guests in the M. A. also visited M&M Don Scott and family. The Crisps were recently married in San Antonio and had just returned from their honeymoon trip to New Orleans, La.

M&M George Fluorke of Beeville, visited M&M M. A. Zinsmeyer and children, M&M Homer Fluorke and family Sunday morning.

Out-of-town guests of M&M Eric Rothe Sunday were M&M A. V. Zerr, Johnny and Molly, of Hondo, M&M M. A. Flusche and children and M&M Joe Keefe and children of San Antonio.

M&M Ferdie Korh and sons, M&M Tyrus Koch and M&M Mat Dugosh of San Antonio, spent Thanksgiving at Medina Lake and had a turkey dinner at the Dugosh ranch home.

Mrs. Raymond May and her three boys from Austin, visited with her parents, M&M E. Lutz and family, over the weekend. The Lutzes had all their children at home for Thanksgiving.

Guests of M&M Cletus Batto and family for the weekend were her mother, Mrs. Ed Schmidt, of LaCoste, and their son, Gerald

Batto of San Antonio.

Mrs. Earl Homesly and son, Alton of San Antonio, spent Thanksgiving with M&M Bill Zerr and son, Eddie, and her father, John Batot, returning home Saturday.

Guests of M&M Mike Smith and daughter, Margaret Ann, over the weekend were her parents, M&M Ben Schwegmann, of San Antonio.

M&M Hy Lutz of San Antonio, visited with Mrs. Joe Lutz and other relatives over the weekend.

M&M O. J. Wheat and son, Jimmy, of Uvalde, visited with her grandmother, Mrs. E. L. brod, and her father, Aug. Nester, for Thanksgiving.

M&M Roy Nester and sons, Jimmy and Charles, of Houston, visited with his parents, M&M Albert Nester, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Alvina Koch and Miss Hulda Nester had Thanksgiving dinner with M&M Mitchell Koch and family and M&M Richard Carle and family at San Antonio Nov. 29. Jerome Koch, son of M&M Mitchell Koch, killed two bucks, one Saturday and another one Sunday morning.

Alfred Nester, who has been ill for some time, will be operated on Monday morning at a San Antonio hospital.

Mrs. Millie Grimsinger visited with her children in San Antonio Thanksgiving.

Judy and Jeff Tondre of Hondo, spent the weekend with M&M O. W. Tondre and M&M Joe Mueller.

M&M John Rieber spent Thursday evening with M&M Martin Ryan in San Antonio.

Visitors in the W. W. Kellogg home over the weekend were

By Mrs. Amos Finger

their children, Mrs. Stella Fowler and sons from San Antonio, M&M Robert Grollimind, M&M Hugo Saathoff and son, Mrs. Ruby Speece and son of Hondo and M&M Price Kellogg of Uvalde.

M&M George L. Dzuik and children of San Antonio, spent the weekend with M&M John J. Nester and daughters. M&M John J. Nester spent Thanksgiving in San Antonio with M&M Joe A. Hons and Susie, M&M Alfred Carle and M&M Joe L. Jarzombek.

Mrs. King Watts and son, Michael of Pleasanton, are visiting with her parents, M&M Frank Jackson, and will return home with Mr. King Wednesday.

M&M Wayne Cheyne and babies visited with his mother at Raymondville over the weekend, returning home Sunday.

M&M James Collins and daughters of San Antonio and Mr. Collins' mother from Wichita Falls, spent Thanksgiving with M&M Ed Keller.

M&M F. M. Carle and family and Jimmy Finger of San Antonio were guests of M&M Reilly Carle and Mrs. James Finger and family Sunday.

Marian Beyer Will Head St. Paul LYO

The regular meeting of St. Paul's LYO was held Monday night, Dec. 3.

The meeting was opened with the singing of two songs. Marguerite Winkler read scripture and Raymond Beyer gave the prayer. Marian Beyer gave the topic.

New officers were elected for the year 1957. They are president, Marian Beyer; vice-president, Barbara Brucks; treasurer, Raymond Beyer; secretary, Dan Moehring; and reporter, Jan Honig.

It was decided that the LYO League would decorate the Christmas Tree Sunday, Dec. 23. Decorating the tree, the League will have their Christmas Party and afterwards go Christmas Caroling.

The meeting was closed with hymn and the Lord's Prayer. Refreshments were served to the members by Alfred Ray Bruck and Fred Louis Graff.



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HAB GAB

By Mary Soyars

December is upon us and many of us are asking the question on every child's lips is, "How many days until Santa Claus?" The days are growing shorter and things to do all pile in at once. Trim the Tree, Wrap all the extra presents, Xmas baking, Check hiding place for gifts (children are the best gift counters) Get your Xmas cards addressed and put out all the Xmas decorations. How where does the time go? Why, it was only December 1, only yesterday. Oh! well maybe I will be better organized this time next year. We take the true meaning of Christmas from Chaplain (Maj Gen) Charles I. Carpenter, USAF, Chief of Chaplains.

"Christmas, 1956, finds many of us in places we never anticipated being a year ago. Some of us are back with our home folks and this Christmas will be happier because we again share it with our loved ones. Others among us were with our loved ones last year, but will celebrate this Christmas away from home.

Yes, no matter where we are, the love of our family will keep us close together in thought at this season. Loneliness because of absence will not mean we are forgotten.

Wherever we are, we are not out of the sight of God. Christmas is essentially a holy season. It is the birthday of the Christ child. We have dressed the day up with man-developed celebrations but it is basically a holy day, not a holiday. Let us then turn in thought to our loved ones and to our God. Let us re-think the high principles so beautifully represented in the life of the Christ.

Let us kneel before the manger and dedicate our lives to interpretation of the teachings of Jesus, born in Bethlehem. Thus dedicated, we will bring to all the real meaning of Christmas and develop the real spirit of Christmas within our lives.

To all of you, from your Chaplains, comes the wish of "Merry Christmas" and a prayer that God's blessing may be ever yours."

Supply took on a new look this past week with Mr. Upton's office being completed and replacing of all the furniture in different places. We would say Supply is all dressed up for Christmas.

At Headquarters plans are under way for their annual Xmas party, to be held on Friday afternoon, December 21. The committee has been busy with food arrangements and plans for decorations, I'm told there will be presents under the tree.

All Departments are feeling the nearness of Christmas and making plans for their own individual party.

Sgt. and Mrs. Howard F. Smith

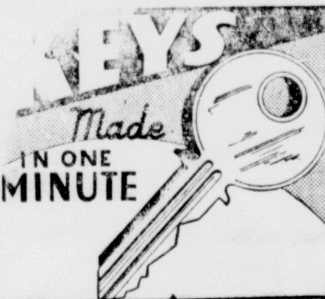
left December 12, to spend their Christmas leave with Sgt. Smith's family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Smith in Norhampton, Mass.

R. N. Whitten, Leo Kilmer, Al Hartwig, Jack Been and Capt. Robert Sizemore visited Moore Air Base in Mission on Thursday, December 6.

The Delta Class Wives Orientation Program was conducted on December 6 and 7. Major Alfred G. Gunn, in the absence of the Commander, welcomes the group. Mr. R. C. Boward, Supervisor of Base Services, conducted the group of 28 wives on tour of Hondo Air Base on 6 of December. The ladies were briefed on the flight training procedure their husbands receive as students here. They also visited Glasscock Auxiliary Field, returned to the Base and were treated to lunch courtesy TAI. On December 7, the second day, Lecture and Discussion were conducted by the Military of Hondo Air Base with Capt. H. J. Maynard as program chairman. The purpose of this Orientation Program is to help the wives become adjusted to life in the Air Force, on this Base and in the community.

On Saturday, December 8, around 7:30 in the morning 2nd Lt. Donald Wilson and his family were in the process of arising. Lt. Wilson had gone to the other bed room in their trailer, to see about the two children. The hot water tank blew up and completely demolished their trailer house, located just off the base at the trailer court. Mrs. Wilson was injured rather seriously and is hospitalized in the Lackland hospital Room 14-A. TAI and Military personnel were on the scene to offer their assistance. Lt. and Mrs. Benny Neffzer took the two Wilson children until Mrs. Wilson is able to travel at which time she will recuperate at her parents home in Columbus, Ohio.

The Hondo Air Base Catholic Club will have their Xmas party and dance on Saturday, December 15th at the Club on the Base.



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We also received an advertisement clipped from a newspaper for a baby grand piano.

Dear Santa,

I'm a little girl 2 1/2 years, my name is Sara Kay Sullins. I will be in Amarillo or Pampa for Christmas.

Will you please bring me a doll and doll blanket.

Thank you,
Love,
Sara Kay

Dear Santa,

I am nine years old. Christmas is my favorite holiday in the year. For Christmas I want a wrist watch and a volleyball. And if anything else, an eight ball. I think that is all I can wish for now. Do not forget my little sister Sue. She is three. Let everybody have a Merry Christmas too.

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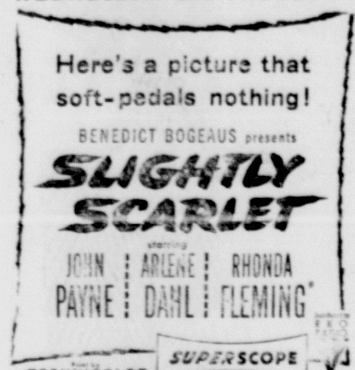
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Mrs. Ernest Brucks and her sister, Mrs. J. W. McDade of San Antonio, flew to Dallas for the weekend. They visited their brother and his wife, who is quite ill. They also had a brief visit with Tony Brucks, who is in medical school there.

M&M E. R. Huegele and sons from Alice, visited his parents, Will Huegele, over the weekend. Their son, Herbert, who was home on furlough from the Navy, at San Diego, Calif., was also along, but left for his station Sunday.

Ralph Ward spent several days in Freer, fishing and javelina hunting with his brother Milton, and family last week.

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Services Held Tuesday For E. W. Russell

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 4, 1956, at 2 p. m. at the Methodist Church in Devine for Walter Russell, 63, who died Monday, following an operation.

Brother Duanne Spencer, of Devine, and Brother Kinney of Free Methodist Church of San Antonio, officiated.

Russell is survived by his wife, Mrs. Josephine Russell, Devine; brothers, W. Carl Russell, San Antonio; sisters, Mrs. Carrie Stribling, Mrs. Clara Lee Elmore, Mrs. Maude Strange, and Mrs. Mary Foster, all of San Antonio; Mrs. Mae Sweet of Devine and Mrs. Edna Crutchfield of Boerne.

Pallbearers were nephews of the deceased — Roger Russell, Russell Stribling, Hayes Russell Jr., Melton Holden, Leslie Mills and Don Mills.

Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, Devine.

Here in Hondo

Phil Slayden, instructor at Hondo Air Base, is leaving soon for Iran where he will be employed. Mrs. Slayden and children, Phil and Sherry, plan to join him in about three months.

M&M Sam Moss and daughters, Laura and Linda, visited relatives in Hearne over the weekend. Mrs. Paul Pope accompanied them as far as Rockdale where she visited her mother, Mrs. Lightfoot. They returned to Hondo Monday.

Judge Haller Dies At Rest Home

Antone F. Haller, better known as Judge Haller, died Monday, Dec. 10, 1956, at the age of 74. He died of a heart condition while sleeping.

Judge Haller attended St. Louis School and was a member of St. Louis Society.

He served as Judge for 24 years in Castroville and was a partner with Eugene Mangold in a grocery store. He was also a baseball player in his younger days.

Survivors are sister, Mary Haller of San Antonio; nephews, Leroy Haller of Odesta, Calif., Elmer of Natalia, Harry Elmdorf of Castroville; nieces, Annie and Francis Haller of Natalia.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Dec. 13, from Tondre funeral home and St. Louis Church. Burial was in St. Louis Cemetery.

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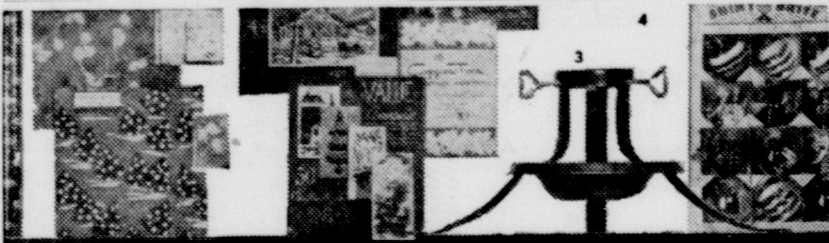
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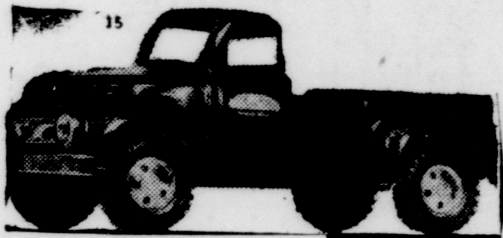
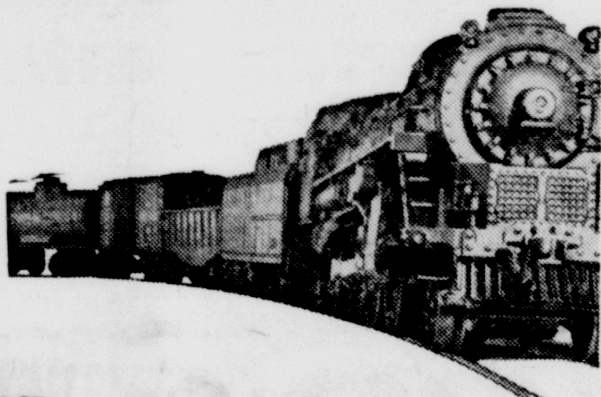
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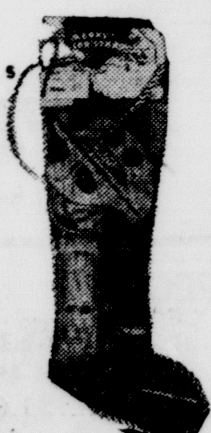


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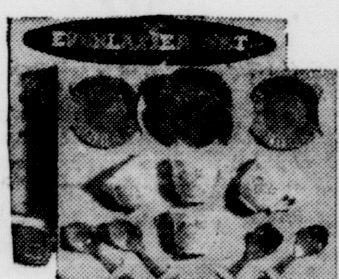
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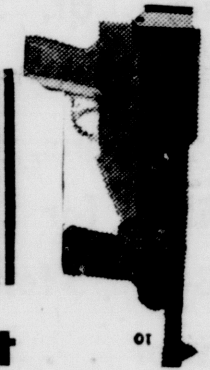
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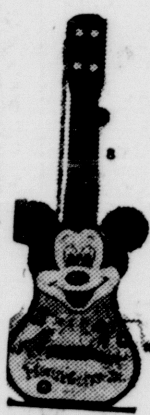
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Kellers Announce

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Keller, Castroville, have announced the birth of a daughter, born Dec. 5, named Deborah Lyne, and weighing 6 lbs. 15½ oz. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rihn of Devine, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller are grandparents. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jungman and Mrs. Helena Keller and great, great grandparents are Mrs. Mary Schneider and Mrs. Alvina Jungman.

Grells Announce

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton L. Grell are parents of a son, Christopher Van, born Nov. 26. The baby is welcomed by his brother, Dudley Clinton, and grandparents, Mrs. John A. Vandenberg, Santa Fe and Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Grell of Hondo.

HERE IN HONDO

M&M Bill Berger, Eddie and Barbara, spent the weekend in Wadler and Austin following the Hallettsville game Friday night.

McCoys Announce Daughter's Birth

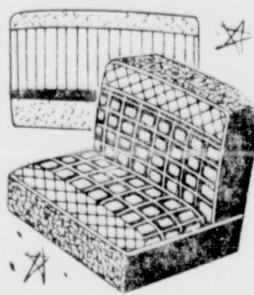
Mr. and Mrs. William McCoy have announced the arrival of a baby daughter, Carolyn Janice, Dec. 9, at Castroville hospital. Mrs. Allen Herring, the Maternal grandmother whose birthday is Dec. 8, says she is the most wonderful birthday gift even though she was a day late. And, John McCoy, the paternal grandfather, whose birthday is Dec. 25, says she is his most wonderful birthday gift too even though she came early to avoid the Christmas rush!

Junior Lutherans Honored At Party

The Junior Lutherans had their annual Christmas party Saturday afternoon in the church annex.

Gay Christmas decorations and a beautiful lighted tree with gifts for each child was the center of attraction. After playing games and singing Christmas carols, leaders served children yule decorated cup cakes, candy and punch.

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Ladies Aid Holds Meet In Quihi

The Ladies Aid Society of Quihi Bethlehem's Lutheran Church met Wednesday Dec. 5 at the Parish Hall with 38 members and Mrs. Henry Schulte, guest, present. Christmas carols were sung. A prayer and Bible Study was led by the Rev. Durkop.

Mrs. Rudolph Schott and Mrs. Walter Muennink are new members of the Society. Christmas seals from the Grace Lutheran Sanatorium were distributed. A Christmas donation of \$25 will be sent to the Trinity home in Round Rock and a special Christmas Fund donation to the Lutheran World Relief.

The following ladies will serve as officers of the Society for the coming year: Mrs. Clarence Saathoff, president; Mrs. Melvin Balzen, vice-president; Mrs. Arnold Balzen, secretary; Mrs. Roy Dailley, treasurer; Mrs. Oscar Grell and Mrs. Elmer Saathoff, sick committee; Mrs. Walter Graff and Mrs. Milton Balzen, auditing committee.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. Hostesses for January will be Mrs. Herman Gerdes and Mrs. Alfred Winkler. A Christmas party followed the sun shine sister exchanging gifts and drawing new names for next year with Mrs. George Balzen and Mrs. Fred Gerdes as hostesses.

Barry Engelbrecht Honored At Party

Mrs. Ida Jungman entertained her grandson, Barry John Engelbrecht, of San Antonio, with a baked duck and fried chicken dinner on his ninth birthday in her home at LaCoste Dec. 9.

Those present were his grandmother, Nellie Engelbrecht, of Carthage, M&M William J. Engelbrecht and sons, M&M M. A. Mechler, all of San Antonio, Mrs. A. N. Mangold, of Castroville, M&M H. Bru Miller and daughter Ruthie and sons Mark, Peter and Paul of Hondo, the honoree and hostess.

In the afternoon, the birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream. Barry received many nice gifts.

WC Holds Coffee Welcoming Dec. 5

New members of the Hondo Air Base Wife's Club and old members who came to meet them, were entertained at a Welcoming Coffee Wednesday, Dec. 5. The main ballroom of the Officers Club was decorated in pink and silver giving it a dainty fairy-like atmosphere. The new members, who have come to Hondo from all parts of the United States, have accompanied their husbands, members of Delta Class at HAB.

Coffee Chairman Mrs. Leon Kilmer and her hostesses, Mrs. Robert James, Mrs. Tex Richards and Mrs. Richard Phillips, served from a table decorated with two beautiful 12-inch Christmas trees made of pink tulle and sparkling

with silver glitter. Above the table were snowy white angels and Christmas bells. The hostesses wore dainty pink tulle aprons trimmed in silver lace and appliqued with silver snow flakes. The aprons and trees were made by W. E. Robinson.

Mrs. Frank O'Neill's pre-school dancing pupils entertained the group. Danalee Mitchell, Linda Bader, Ange Hernandez, Shelly Finger and Jackie Dowdy appeared in the "Wind and Flowers Ballet". The "Punch and Judy" doll dance featured Joellen Mitchell and Barbara Berger. Little Cathy Taylor sang "Rudolph, the Red Nosed Reindeer" and Linda Lutz with Barbara Berman did a tap dance to "Yankee Doodle".

Mrs. Kite Honored At Shower

Mrs. Fred Britz of D'Hanis, Mrs. Bob Mayfield, Mrs. Eric Clout, and Mrs. Jack Fusselman Jr. honored Mrs. Lester Kite with a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Fusselman on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Kite was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Those present besides the honoree and hostesses were, Mesdames Luther Norman, Mary Moore, B. D. Cason, F. H. Tate, Bob Thompson, J. K. Hamby, Robert Clements, Ray Sweeten, J. M. House, J. F. Smith, and Jack Sharp.

Refreshments of cake, mints, coffee, and hot chocolate were served.



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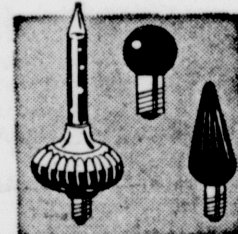
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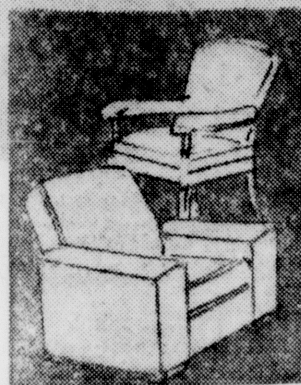
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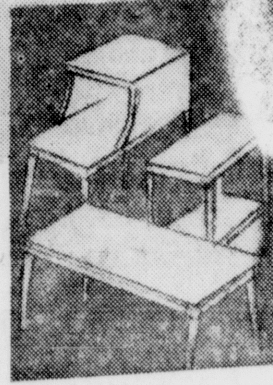
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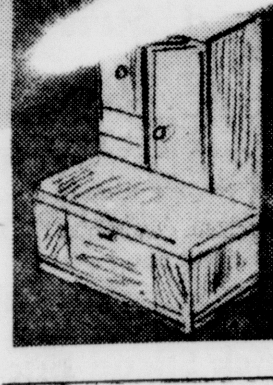
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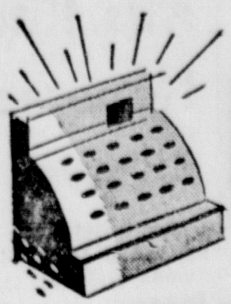
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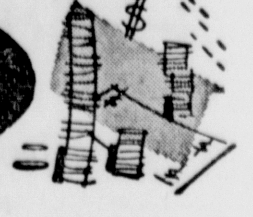
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2. REAL ESTATE

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HOMES, LOTS, farms, ranches, business property, real estate trades, see E. A. Bendele, Agent, Wood and Wood Realtors. (tfc50)

3. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 3 room apartment with private bath furnished or unfurnished. Dial 6-2123. (tfc)

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5. WANTED

6. HELP WANTED

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AVON COSMETICS has one established territory available for Anglo lady in Hondo. For details write Box 7292, San Antonio. (3tp26)

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9. REGULAR MEETING

Hondo City

Lodge No. 756

A. F. & A. M.

Regular Stated Communications Monday, Dec. 10, 1956, at 7:30 P. M. Visitors Welcome. Theo Cagle, W. M. L. Moss, Sec.

7. LOST AND FOUND

8. MISCELLANEOUS

SURVEY MAPS: These are old, but show the original survey lines. Maybe they would be useful if you are interested in oil well locations. \$1. each at the Anvil Herald Office. (tfc12)

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PERFECT GIFT FOR POP: Personal valuables in the home or office need some protection from fire and theft. The practical solution? A Treasure Chest made by Victor Safe Company. Sell for only \$19.95 and up (depends on size and style) at Anvil Herald office. Good Christmas gift for Dad or for the house. See it now. (5tp23)

FOR THE BEST deal on any new car or truck see Ray Jungman, Phone 32, Castroville. (tfc1)

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IF YOU WANT to drink that's your business. If you want to stop that's our business. P. O. Box 134, Alcoholics Anonymous. (tfc16)

11. LEGAL NOTICES

Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2, Medina County, Texas. D'Hanis, Texas. (1tp26)

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE MEDINA COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT No. 2, Medina County, Texas. Notice is hereby given, that an election will be held in the Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2 in Medina County, Texas, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1957 between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 6 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of electing two (2) directors for said District, the Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2. The two (2) directors elected at such election shall serve for a term of two (2) years each, or until their successors are elected and qualified. Notice of candidacy for such office must be filed with the secretary of said district in D'Hanis, Texas, not later than December 27th, 1956. The polling place of said election will be at the A. J. Finger Bldg. in D'Hanis, Texas and the following persons have been appointed officers of said election: Clements F. Finger, presiding Judge; Herman J. Ney, Associate Judge; Clayton Nester, Clerk. Issued on this 5th day of December, 1956, pursuant to an order passed by the Board of Directors of the Medina County Water Control and Improvement District

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Filleman Expresses 'Thanks'

Postmaster Harry E. Filleman expressed his thanks today for co-operation so far on his annual "Mail Early For Christmas Campaign."

He said, "I know the time has passed to talk about mailing early." To the inevitable last minute mailers he suggests that you use Air Mail for every Christmas card or gift going out of town, and don't fail to get them into the mail right now! Even a few hours delay at this critical time may mean disappointment for friends or loved ones on Christmas Day.

The flood of outgoing Christmas cards and gifts is matched by a like torrent of incoming mail that is becoming greater every day. The Postmaster expects the Christmas mail load to hit its peak in the next few days, and that is undoubtedly will break last year's records.

Stepped up delivery service will be added to regular schedules. The Postmaster said there's still time for local deliveries, but all Christmas cards should be sent by First-Class mail, and be sure to include your return address on all Christmas card envelopes and package labels.

Hondo B&PW Holds Annual Party-Dinner

Forty members and guests of the Hondo Business and Professional Women's Club observed their annual Christmas Party and dinner Monday, Dec. 10.

There was much hilarity during the evening, as Miss Jingle Bells and Miss Merry Christmas sponsored the program. Like all sponsors, they were not seen, however, Miss Mary Ruth Cameron acted as emcee. The program was a take-off on the "64,000 Question", and many fabulous prizes were awarded during the evening. Mrs. Dorothy Kelly won a prize for wearing the most Christmas colors.

Mrs. Elsie Stanga, president, welcomed the group and urged that every member help with the Empty Stocking Fund, which is an annual project of the club. Co-chairman for the party were Mrs. Evelyn Boon and Mrs. Lena Mae DeMontel.

Settlement News

Mrs. Rosa Carle and Henry, and Mrs. Angeline Burger visited Willie Burger and Ulrich Sunday afternoon at Dunlay.

Mrs. Angeline Burger, M&M R. H. Bayer, Carmen, Ralph, Dorothy, Carolyn Bendele, Bobbie Menix and Roberta Engle visited with M&M J. D. Schweers Saturday evening.

No. 2, of Medina County, Texas, on the 4th day of December, 1956. Signed, R. F. Wolff, President, Board of Directors, Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2. (3tp26)

Seal Attest: J. B. Nester, Secretary, Board of Directors, Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2. (3tp26)

NOTICE
Castroville Fernando Lodge No. 71 will hold its regular meeting Thursday, Dec. 20 at 8 p.m. instead of Dec. 25. (1tp26)

CARD OF THANKS

Friends are wonderful! Belatedly, we wish to thank everyone who sent flowers and cards, and who inquired about Bill while he was ill. We'll always remember each of you fondly. It was impossible to get any words out when the Outstanding Citizen award was presented at the recent Chamber of Commerce annual meeting. I was overwhelmed and humbled by the honor. "Thank you" seems inadequate, but until someone invents a better way of expressing hearts full of gratitude, it is what we both wish to say to the Chamber of Commerce and our friends. Sincerely, Jo and Bill Wood (1tc26)

We wish to express our sincerest thanks for the loving help and sympathy, floral offerings and cards given us at the recent loss of our beloved Wife and Sister. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. W. L. Froehner and Rev. W. L. Hornung for their fine services and comforting words. We are indeed comforted by your many kindnesses. Husband, Brothers and Sisters of Mrs. Alvin Balzen (tp26)

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

Frank Maxey, Fredericksburg, Chev. spt. cpe.
Frances C. H. Richmond, San Antonio, Ford two door.
Harry C. Conner, San Antonio, Ford city sed.
J. F. Gayle, Atascosa, Chev. four door sed.
M. Benavides Volpe, Laredo, Chev. two door cpe.
Robert J. McCulloch, Von Ormy, Chev. four door sed.
R. J. Weppelman, Hondo, Buick four door riv sed.
Allen Tillotson, Hondo GMC PU
Sam A. Elliott, San Antonio, Chev. four door.
Mrs. Chuck Jacaman, Laredo, Chev. P. U.
Eleanor Hall, San Antonio, Chev. spt. cpe.
Mrs. Lila E. Honegger, Sabinal, Buick four door.
James R. Odum, Yancey, Ford ranch wagon.
City of Hondo Electric System, Hondo, ford 2 ton digger truck.
Ryan N. Whitten, Hondo, Old.

LaCoste News

By Mrs. Ida Jungman

M&M Oscar Kaufman and Mrs. Mary Jungman spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Gross here.



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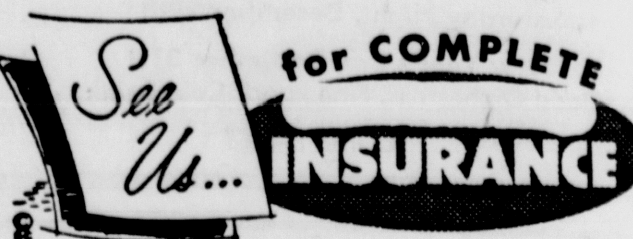
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PERSONAL APPEARANCE

By Jerry June Berger

How about it? Don't you think it ought to be Hondo vs Navy in the Cotton Bowl come New Year's Day? We've really got a team --

The Owl win over Hallettsville Friday night overshadowed the many gripes of Hondo fans about the physical facilities down there, which were: the starting of the game before 8 p.m., Central Standard Time; the over-crowded stands on the west end which had no aisles and side which had no aisles and necessitated Hondoans climbing on top of other Hondoans to find out if they were in the game; a four inch foot rest which would have made fall-through the stands a simple matter; and the use of an oak tree instead of a building as a half-time resting place for the team.

We certainly hope Hallettsville puts all that money in their sock and saves it toward the purchase of a new stadium. But how many of a new stadium to handle a crowd of 4,000 can insist on holding a state quarter-final game on the local field instead of some neutral field is beyond us. However, we DID win that game.

PA

While on the subject of football we'll mention that Bastrop's CHARLES PERKINS, who was in action against Hondo two weeks ago, has been designated as Mr. Central Texas of 1956. Some local fans thought he wasn't when playing against Hondo. But he was in on practically every play despite the fact that he had been well "scouted" and none of his plays were a surprise to the Owls, who were aiming at his every move. Anyway, the high school youngster wound up the season with 228 points scored in 12 games and won himself a back-field berth on Fort Worth Star-Telegram's Class A All-State Team.

The Austin American-Statesman stated Sunday that "for sheer unbridled power, Central Texas had not seen anyone superior to the lad in recent years."

PA

We also found another interesting sports item in Sunday's Austin paper. It was a round up of Southwest Conference football prospects for next year.

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Noonan-Pearson
By Mrs. Louis Stein

M&M Oscar Tschirhart of near Devine, visited M&M Albert Tschirhart Monday evening.

C. H. Baker attended the ball game at Lytle Tuesday evening.

The Friendly Ladies Club honored one of their members, Mrs. Eddie Baker, with a pink and blue shower Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. C. H. Baker.

Alvin May was a Castroville visitor Tuesday.

M&M Roy Tschirhart and family were brief visitors in the Louis Stein home Tuesday evening.

Douglas Gerloff of Castroville, visited M&M Louis Stein Sunday morning.

Mrs. Albert Tschirhart visited in the Roy Tschirhart home Sunday afternoon.

M&M Roy Tschirhart and family were at Devine Saturday.

HERE IN HONDO
Grady Rogers and Robert Clements spent last week working Port Aransas.

M&M C. C. Cook and son Grady of Premont, M&M Lee Holder and daughter Clara Beth of North Pleasanton, visited in the home of Katie Muennink over the weekend.

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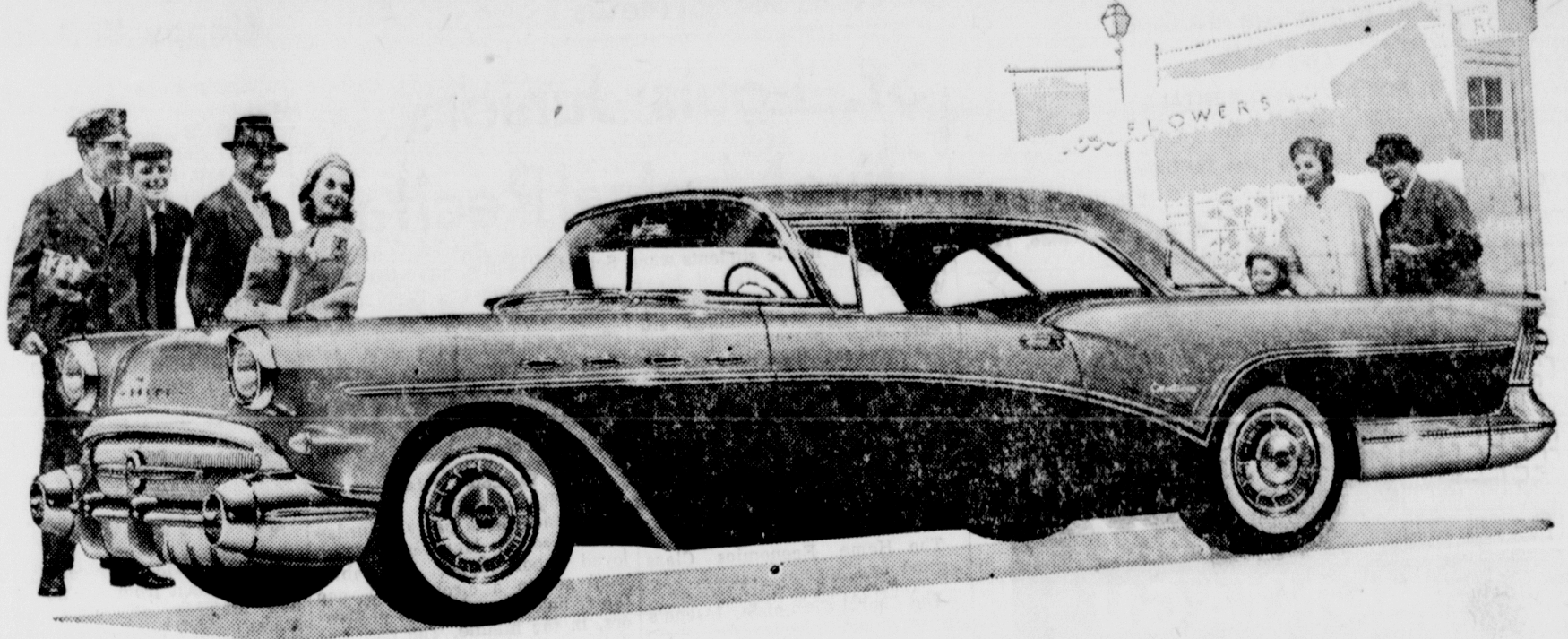
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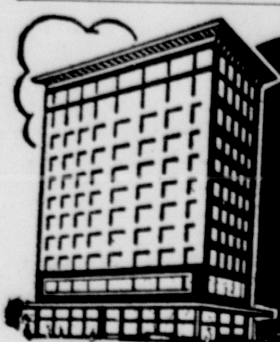
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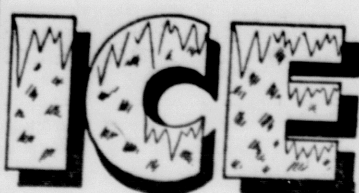
St. Louis Juniors Give Musical Recital

The junior music students were presented in a recital at Moyer Auditorium Thursday, Nov. 22. The senior music students were presented in their first Musical Wednesday, Dec. 5.

Members of the Sodality of Our Lady and the C. Y. O. attended the Deane Youth Rally at Devine Sunday, Dec. 2, where they were addressed by Auxiliary Bishop Stephen A. Leven.

The Home Economics Class served two special dinners.

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St. Louis FHA

The St. Louis FHA members had a backwards party Saturday night Dec. 1. Members all enjoyed a box supper. The tables were set in a circle with one table, holding a bouquet of flowers, in the middle. The hall was decorated with red and white. Fried chicken, potato salad and a dessert was served.

After the box supper, the FHA members and their dates went to a dance at Koenig Hall. There they danced to the music of Bitz Batheny and his Orchestra.

St. Louis 4-H

The officers of the St. Louis Senior 4-H Club are as follows:

Fran Mangold, president; Beverly Adams, vice-president; Alma June Purvis, secretary; Sharron Haby, treasurer; Kathie Lafferty, Council Delegate; and Carol Tondre, reporter.

The Club decided to hold meetings every two weeks, on Wednesday at 2 p.m. at St. Louis Parish Hall.

Happy Birthday

Mrs. Christian Nietenhoefer, Dec. 14.
Albert Saathoff, Dec. 14.
John Eckhart, Dec. 16.
Kenneth Hans, Dec. 16.
Emaleen Saathoff, Dec. 17.
Roy Nietenhoefer Jr., Dec. 17.
Tony Brucks, Dec. 18.
Mrs. George Mechler, Dec. 18.
Louis Geuea, Dec. 18.
Mrs. Joe Jagge, Dec. 19.
Mrs. Ida Bischoff, Dec. 20.
Alton Seckatz, Dec. 20.
Wilfred Moehring, Dec. 20.
John B. Moore, Dec. 21.

Barnett Jones

Joins Fraternity

Barnett Jones, University of Texas student from Sabin, is a new member of Alpha Delta Sigma, men's professional advertising fraternity.

Jones, a junior advertising student, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shudde.

Junior Lulacs

The Castroville Junior LuLac Council has laid plans for a dance to be held tomorrow, Dec. 16. Members of the group will draw names and exchange gifts at their Christmas party Dec. 23.

Here in Hondo

Capt. and Mrs. Robert Sizemore had as their house guests Col. and Mrs. Everett Howe of Waco, last weekend.

Bill Of Rights Day Set For December 15

With Dec. 15 being observed as "Bill of Rights Day" throughout the land, many persons are (or should be) thinking about what this important document means to them. This column will attempt a brief explanation of its meaning.

The American "Bill of Rights", consisting of the first ten amendments to our federal constitution, all adopted at one time in 1791, specifies in some detail a number of basic civil rights of the individual citizen. Unaltered by subsequent amendments and jealously guarded by our courts, these privileges must still be respected by our governing bodies today.

Among the most familiar of our constitutional guarantees are those relating to freedom of religion, speech, and of the press. The same article protects the rights of peaceable assembly and the privilege of petitioning the government for redress of grievances.

Another amendment secures our persons, houses, papers and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures, and specifies that no warrants shall issue but upon probable cause, and unless supported by oath or affirmation.

The due process of law amendment encompasses not one but several guarantees. Every American is secured against being placed twice in legal jeopardy for the same offense; against being compelled to be a witness against himself in a criminal case; and against having his private property taken for public use without just compensation.

He is also secured against being

held for trial for a capital (death penalty) or other infamous crime, unless upon a presentment or indictment of a grand jury. And, of course, no person may be deprived of life, liberty or property without orderly court procedures, on due process of law.

The right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury, in the locality where the crime was committed, the right to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation, and the rights to compel attendance of defense witnesses and to have the assistance of defense counsel in all criminal prosecutions are secured by another section of the "Bill of Rights".

Excessive bail and fines, and cruel and unusual punishments, are prohibited in Amendment VIII. Other articles insure the right to bear arms and ban quartering of soldiers in private homes during peace time.

Then, to make quite clear to our governing bodies the underlying intent of the preceding provisions, the Ninth Amendment states: "The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people."

The Tenth Amendment further emphasizes this basic theory by providing: "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."

Thus, that fundamental philosophy expressed in the Declaration of Independence, that men are endowed with certain unalienable rights, and that "to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed," has been carried forward into the highest law of our land.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

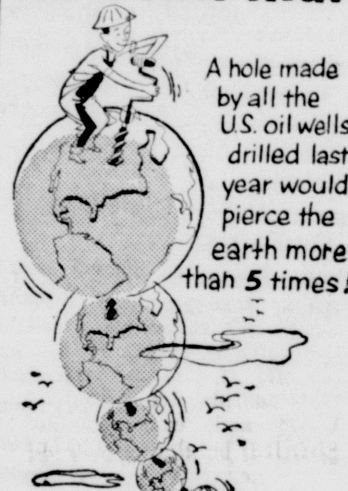
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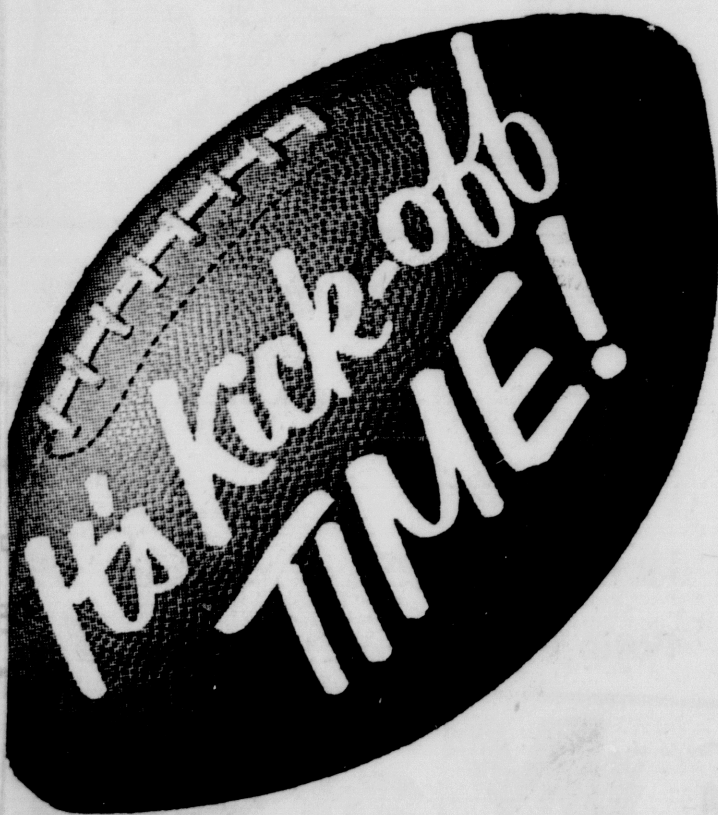
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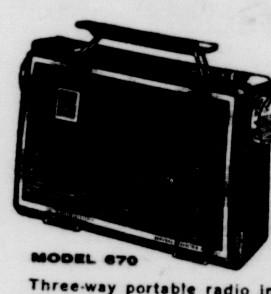
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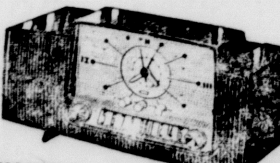
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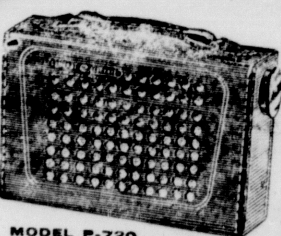
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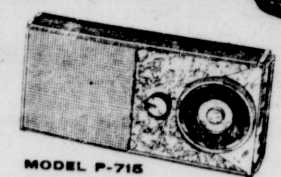
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Yancey News

By Mrs. Harrison Wilson

Rita Dawn Nixon, 2, Thrya Jergenson, 10, and Lee Ward, 92, all celebrated their birthdays Saturday night at the home of M&M granddaughters of the Nixon family. Thrya is Rita's cousin and her parents are M&M Ray.

Ray and Joe Nixon brought their instruments and with their mother, Mrs. Nixon at the piano, entertained the group.

Guests of the T. D. Bomba's during Thanksgiving were the John Gattifrieds of San Antonio and M&M John Forist and baby and some of the family of John Gattifried from Chicago. The Gattifrieds went deer hunting.

Rev. B. L. Smith wishes to announce that the Rev. Ryan, District Superintendent, will preach at the 11 a.m. service next Sunday, Dec. 16, at the Yancey Methodist Church. There will be no quarterly conference.

Guests of the Philo Crains over the Thanksgiving weekend were M&M Hillard Bailey and baby, M&M Tom Bailey and Jeannine of San Antonio, Miss Mary Burleson Sr., M&M Joe Burleson Jr., and Mary Ruth, Miss Jimmie Burleson, Miss Margie Cannipe, all of Pearsall, M&M Bud Gram and Becky and Bonnie Allen.

M&M Joe Connell's guest over the weekend was his mother from Camp Wood.

Saturday guests of the Harrison Wilsons were the Bob Brooks of San Antonio. Sunday guests were Bob Brooks, Alex Craven and Mr. Bailey of San Antonio.

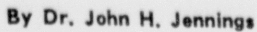
The Yancey Home Demonstration Club had their Christmas party at Mrs. Fielding Wiemers, home, Dec. 4, with seven members and three visitors, Mrs. Edwin Grell and Mrs. J. D. Baker of Hondo, and Mrs. Henry Neill of Pearsall, attending.

Mrs. Karl Faselers read the Christmas story. After games, gifts were distributed. Refreshments of coffee, cocoa and cookies were served.

Guests of the Fielding Wiemers over the weekend were M&M Leonard Wiemers and Linda of San Antonio.

Fielding Wiemers killed a nine point buck Saturday afternoon.





Luling Game Site
Hondo officials had intended to

M&M Wilfred Moehring visited Sunday night with Mrs. August

Mrs. Philip Haby visited in the Elmer Biediger home Tuesday.



From where I sit, there was no harm done that time, but *jumping to conclusions* can be embarrassing. In fact, it's sometimes mean and intolerant—like the way some folks jump to the conclusion a man's "wrong" to prefer a glass of beer over another beverage. Lack of facts *coupled* with lack of judgment *introduces* trouble.

Joe Marsh

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Owls March Over Hallettsville Team

Last Friday, the 1956 Hondo Owls became the winning team in a long and proud line of Owl history. Hondo took a game and hard fighting Hallettsville team 21 to 6. The Owls now advance to the semi-finals against Humble in Luling Saturday at 8 p. m. in the sudden death state play-off race.

Owls Never Behind

Hondo lost the flip, for the 11th time in 13 flips this year, but everything else worked out fine. The Brahmas took the kick-off and started play from the 26. They ran up two first downs to the Owl 47 where they punted to the 10.

Two line plays failed before Hartman faked beautifully. End Billy Neuman hustled down field and made a fighting and beautiful catch on a pass at the 38. Three line plays failed and Neuman punted 32 yards to the 22.

Hallettsville got a first down in two plays to the 35 but then had to punt, a 45 yarder to the 15.

This time the Owls started on an 85 yard drive that was to pay off with 7 points. Hartman got 6 and 3. Woolls 11. Highsmith 5, 9 and 11 before Big Alvin tossed a 40 yard TD pass to the Hustling Neuman who was all alone on the 20. The quarter ended 2 plays later.

Costly Penalty

Hallettsville started a drive on their 40, after the Owls' TD, and almost got a score. Two passes of 12 and 22 yards got them as far as the Hondo 26. Muska then drove 20 yards to the Owl 6 but a clipping penalty rubbed out the gain and pushed them back to the 24. The penalty proved very costly, for Hartman intercepted on the 17 to stop the threat. The Owls moved from the 20 to the 37 before two quick jump passes fell incomplete. Neuman punted 33 yards to the 30.

Hallettsville could not move in the next series and punted 43 yards to the Owl 10. Woolls ran for 7. Hartman made Neuman dive back to hang on to an 18 yard pass gain. Highsmith got 6 to the Brahma 42 and on the next play Ray fumbled "a high one" on the 40.

Hallettsville started on a fine drive from their own 40 and drove to the Owl 10 in a battle with the clock. Time was running out, time for two plays — they had a 4th and 1 situation on the 10 and elected to pass for a TD rather than for a first down — it did not work and the half ended 7 to 0.

Third Quarter Score

Woolls took the kick-off 16 yards to the 31. Hartman hit Neuman for 22. Windrow got 8 before Alvin tossed to Woolls for a 14 yard gain to the Brahma 21 for the big gainer. The Owls tried four rushing plays by Woolls, Windrow and Highsmith but the ball went over on the 18.

However, the Owls were soon in business again. Hallettsville got 26 yards in 5 rushing plays

before the very alert Neuman intercepted a pass on his 30 and ran it back 19 yards to the 49. Hartman then outfoxed his opponent's guards . . . as he called a quick snap on a QB sneak — he shot over center and was overhauled 39 yards later on the 12. Hartman got 2 to the 10. Woolls was stopped and then Alvin laid a 6 pointer in the hands of end Bobby Ward when he found this play's original intended receiver covered. Neuman was right beside Ward as both were all alone. Ward was playing end in place of the charley-horse injured Clyde Bohmfalk.

Hallettsville Scores

The Brahmas returned the kick-off from the 30 to the 40 and started their touchdown drive. They covered the 60 yards in 12 ground plays, the longer runs were 6, 7, 9 and 19 yards. The 19 yarder was by Dean Kersh to the 1. Jerry Vachala went over for the score to make it 14 to 6. The vital extra point was missed.

The ensuing kick-off did not go the required 10 yards so the Owls took over on the 48 and began their final scoring drive. Butch Woolls was the key in this drive as he got 20 to the 28 yard line. Neuman got a 7 yard pass from Hartman to the 19 to keep the drive alive on a third down and 7 try. Woolls got 6, blasted for 6 to get the score. Windrow made good his third conversion of the night to ice the game.

Hallettsville got two first downs on 18 and 15 yard pass completions on the next series but their drive ran out on the Owl 24. The Owls could not move either and Neuman punted 31 yards to the 38. The punt was returned to the Owl 44 as the Owls missed a number of "arm-tackles". The Brahmas then threw 8 passes with 3 complete for 19, 2 (on interference) and a 15 yarder to the 4 as the game ended!

Wm. Burger Buried In Oakwood

William Burger, retired Dunlay stock farmer and a life-long resident of Medina County, died at Medina Hospital after a short illness Dec. 7, 1956.

Born Dec. 31, 1877, Burger was preceded in death by his wife, Louisa Z. Burger on Dec. 16, 1955. He is survived by one son, Ulrich Burger of Dunlay; four sisters, Mrs. Lena Fuoss, Mrs. Rosa Carle, Miss Angeline Burger, all of Dunlay, and Mrs. Emma Tschirhart, Castroville; and one brother, Anton Burger of Bandera.

Rosary service was held at 7:30 p. m. Dec. 7 at Horger Funeral Home. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery Dec. 8, with Father Crook performing the last rites. Burger was a member of Herman Sons Lodge and the Quihi Gun Club.

Palbearers were Henry Carle, Claud Tschirhart, Joe A. Riff Jr., Jesse Burger, John Krenmueller and Elmer Bader.

W. B. Wood Service Held

W. B. Wood, long time resident of the Tarpley community, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Marvin Dean, in D'Hanis on Dec. 1, at about 6:30 p. m. Wood had been in failing health for some time, but death came suddenly and without suffering as he sat at supper with the family.

Wood was born in Mason county Oct. 1, 1882, being at the time of his death 74 years and two months of age. He came to the Tarpley community at an early age. He was married to Miss Helen Saathoff of the Rothe community and lived most of his life in and around the Tarpley community. He was loved and respected by all who knew him for his honesty and integrity. The large concourse of relatives and friends was mute proof of the high esteem in which he was held.

Horger's Funeral Home of Hondo had charge of the funeral services and Dr. F. G. Bailey of Kerrville conducted the service at graveside on Dec. 3 at 3 p. m. He was laid to rest in the lower Tarpley cemetery.

Palbearers were Joe L. Hensley of Bandera, Tobey E. Sauter of Von Ormy, Louis H. Dean of D'Hanis, Jesse Padgett of San Antonio, Will R. Blackwell of Kerrville and Walter Scheile of Tarpley.

He leaves besides his wife to mourn his passing three daughters, Mrs. Willie Mae Gerdes of Ozona, Mrs. Mary Jo Dean of D'Hanis, Mrs. Hettie Mitchell of Tarpley; one son, Alton Wood of Tarpley; two sisters, Mrs. Bertie Haynes of San Antonio, Mrs. C. S. Kinman of Streeter. Mrs. Kinman was unable to attend the funeral due to illness. Four grandchildren also survive. They are Mary Ruth Gerdes of Ozona, Alta Berniece, Francis Marie and Billy Ray Wood of Tarpley; and also a large number of nieces and nephews.

Scoring Summary

1. Hartman to Neuman Pass — 40 yards (8 plays 85 yard drive 1st qt.)
2. Hartman to Bobby Ward pass — 10 yards (5 plays 51 yard drive 3rd qt.)
3. Brahma's Vac a — 1 yard (12 plays, 60 yd. drive 4th qt.)
4. Woolls — 6 yards (9 plays 48 yard drive 4th qt.)

Game Statistics

	Hondo	H'ville
1st Downs	15	21
Rushing Yds	177	185
Passing Yds	147	115
Total Yds	324	300
Passes	8-11	9-24
Intercepted By	2	0
Op. Fumble Rec.	0	2
Penalties	0	4 for 30
Punt Ave.	3 for 32	3 for 42
Rushing Plays	39	44
Total Plays	50	68

Individual Records

	C	Y	Av
Woolls	15	57	3.4
Hartman	10	65	6.5
Highsmith	9	40	4.4
Windrow	5	15	3

First Down Carries: Neuman 5, Woolls 4, Highsmith and Windrow 2 each, Hartman 1 and Ward 1.

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	Hi.	Lo.
December 7	83	66
December 8	78	58
December 9	79	39
December 10	39	29
December 11	59	33
December 12	70	37
December 13	79	40

D'Hanis Girls Score Upset Over Natalia

D'HANIS — The D'Hanis girls basketball team is now coming into its own; after several weeks of lackadaisical play, the team is now really beginning to shine. This week, the girls upset Natalia girls Monday night by a 56-30 count. No easy job, since Natalia was the district champion last year and also advanced to the finals of its own tournament this week.

In this same tournament the D'Hanis girls won the consolation trophy after losing out in a heartbreaking first round encounter with Pawnee. In this game D'Hanis fought off the Strong Pawnee team for two overtime periods, before losing in a sudden death period by one point. Previous to the winning free shot made by Pawnee, D'Hanis had missed three straight, any one of which would have won the game for them. Also, D'Hanis's top scorer Ann Langfeld went out on fouls during the second overtime period to weaken the Cowgirls attack.

After their heartbreaking loss, D'Hanis bounced back behind their potent defense and the tricky "block offense" was utilized. Ann Langfeld, has been the big gun in the attack, scoring 32, 16, 39, 19, and 20 in games last week. Linda Nester, Joan Carle, and Joan Reiber also looked good

in tournament games. The defensive alignment which averaged the least points scored on it of all the teams in the Natalia tournament, was sparked by Mary Rodriguez, Marilyn Finger, Linda Grimsinger, Joan Lutz, and Carol Finger. Other girls assisting D'Hanis in their march to the Consolation Championship were Patsy Turner, Judy Zerr, Joyce Dean, Isabell Duncan, Janis Barge, and team managers Mary Ann Dean and Ethyl Thompson. The team, coached by Bernard Gerhardt, formerly of Texas University, defeated Boerne, Devine C team, and Devine B team in succession, and are now on a three straight game winning streak. They will clash with Natalia again in a return match Dec. 18, with the game to possibly be played in Hondo's gym.

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Owls Roll Over Humble

Butch Woolls Injured; May Not Play

Worley Home Destroyed

Two local business houses have opened a fund for the Wayland Worley family, after fire completely destroyed their home and belongings last Friday.

Grisham's Grocery started the drive. Donations are also being accepted at the Anvil Herald office.

The house, located about seven miles southeast of Hondo, was owned by Marvin Schweers.

Mrs. Worley said she was home at the time the fire started but did not know how it started. Only one stove was burning.

Grisham said Durham Business College in San Antonio had promised a \$50 donation as had the Salvation Army. Another \$15 in groceries and several checks and donations were also in the store.

Loss was estimated at \$6,000, including personal property. The only thing saved from the home was clothes the family was wearing.

Both the two business houses remain open until six, and will accept any donation — clothing or money.

Carver Plans Light Drills Before Game

Hondo's Class A semi-final champions may have to play Saturday night's game without the services of halfback Butch Woolls, injured in the Humble game.

Woolls suffered an injury to his knee against Humble Saturday night. It was puffed up Sunday and liquid was drawn off. The knee is now in a cast. Coach Max Carver says Woolls will not suit up for practice this week and may not be able to play Saturday. He hopes to have the 170 pound halfback ready to go against Stinnett Saturday night.

Carver said he planned to take it easy in drills this week. Clyde Bohmfalk, 165 pound end, has a charley horse, but will probably

be ready for the final game of the season. Neither Hondo nor Stinnett has lost a game this year. Stinnett has scored 537 points while Hondo has managed only 450. Each team has allowed 114 points by their opponents.

The Owls will leave Hondo Friday and spend the night in San Angelo, arriving in Sweetwater Saturday morning. The Band will leave Hondo at 9 a. m. Saturday morning.

Scouts report Hondo and Stinnett are about equal in weight, but classed Stinnett as tough competition. Carver said the team was "maybe too tough, and I hope they don't embarrass us."

Ticket Sale Will Begin Wednesday

Tickets for the Hondo-Stinnett game will go on sale Wednesday or Thursday, according to J. G. Barry, superintendent of Hondo schools.

Barry said the tickets would be mailed from Stinnett Tuesday afternoon and would probably arrive here Wednesday. They will be placed on sale as soon as they arrive.

Game Site Will Be At Sweetwater

J. G. Barry, superintendent of schools, met with Harold Dalton, principal of Stinnett schools Sunday in Austin, and agreed on Sweetwater as the neutral grounds for the State Class A finals Saturday night at 7:30.

Barry said the Sweetwater Chamber of Commerce had promised "to roll out the red carpet" for football fans from both towns. Sweetwater is about half way between Hondo and Stinnett, end is about 254 miles from Hondo.

Fans leaving Hondo can travel to Sabinal, to Concan, to Leakey, to Junction, to Eden, to Ballinger, to Bronte, and on to Sweetwater. Distance was measured on the map as 254 miles. Highways around Leakey have a lot of curves in them. Probably the best route would be from Kerrville, to Junction, to San Angelo, to Sweetwater—highways are a little better. Stinnett is 15 miles from Berger, in the Texas Panhandle. Sweetwater is 76 miles from San Angelo.

No bus has been chartered, according to information received at the Herald office. A bus was scheduled for the Hallettsville game but was not successful. Many persons cancelled their reservations at the last minute.

Winning Pass Thrown In Last Two Minutes

The Hondo Owls proved their efficiency Saturday night, by taking a strong Humble eleven in the State Semi-Finals at Luling 20-13.

The winning seven points came with 2:20 left in the game when quarterback Alvin Hartman drew back and hit Billy Neuman for 52 yards in the air and another 20 yards on the ground. It was one of Hartman's best and probably one of the best in high school football all year.

Before 4,200 fans, the Owls took over on their own 29 yard line after returning a Humble punt late in the game. Quarterback Alvin Hartman then faded back and launched a desperation pass to end Bill Neuman, which went for 71 yards and the winning margin.

14th Win of Year

The pass gave the Owls their 14th win of the year and extended their winning streak to 26.

Sparked by hardrunning John Steagall, Humble took the lead when the 175 pounder went 69 yards around right end to score.

Wilbert Manning added the point after to give the Wildcats a 7-0 lead.

Hondo struck back quickly when Hartman climaxed an 83yard drive by plunging one yard for a touchdown.

Windrow missed the point and Humble still lead, 7-6.

With Steagall showing the way, Humble marched 51 yards in eight plays to up its count to 13, Steagall barreling over from the one foot line.

Owls Tie Score

The Owls took the second half kickoff and marched for the tying score.

Starting from their own 34, the Owls went 66 yards in 15 plays as Butch Woolls carried for a total of 34 yards in the drive.

Hartman dived over from the 1 and Windrow added the tying point. From then on it was nip and tuck, until Hondo pulled its winning pass play.

Steagall led all ground gainers with 190 yards in 32 carries.

Hartman Checked

Hartman, who has starred all season, was limited to 17 yards in 12 carries but he tossed 14 times and completed seven passes for 137 yards with Neuman on the receiving end of five of them. In fact Humble outgained Hondo on the ground, 210 yards to 183 due to the brilliant play of John Steagall, who scored twice for the losers and who, according to Coach Carver of the Owls, was "awful tough once he got beyond the line of scrimmage."

Hartman's winning pass came with 2:20 of the game left to play after Humble had scored a touchdown in each of the first and second quarters. Steagall, who lugged the ball over for both Humble touchdowns, made his first in the opening quarter with a 69 yard jaunt and blasted over from the one foot line to cap a 51 yard Wildcat drive in the second quarter.

Woolls led the Owls to their first touchdown as they drove 83 yards in 16 plays with Woolls carrying seven times for 67 yards. But it was Hartman who plunged the final two yards to score. Hartman's other touchdown came from a foot away to put a cap on a long drive and Johnny Windrow added two extra points in three tries.

Hondo had 18 first downs to 13 for the losers.

Statistics

	Hondo	Hum.
First Downs	18	13
Yards Rushing	183	210
Yards Passing	137	61
Passes	7-14	2-7
Passes Intercepted	2	0



THE HOME OF THE WAYLAND WORLEY family was completely destroyed by fire Friday. The family lost all of their clothing, saving only those each member of the family was wearing. Donations for the family are being accepted at Grisham's Grocery and the Anvil Herald.

Saturday, Dec. 22nd

Mama and me go to Stinnett-Hondo football game Saturday, but our store will be open all day. Victor Saathoff will be in charge of the business while we're gone and has full authority to shoot from the hip, if necessary!

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